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By re Application of: **Michael W. Pfeiffer and Eric D. Johnson**
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Application No.: **10/743,684** Group Art: **3726**
Filed: **December 15, 2003** Examiner: **John C. Hong**
For: **DISC CASSETTE DELIDDER AND FEEDER SYSTEM FOR DATA
STORAGE DEVICES**

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED JUNE 12, 2006

Sir:

Please enter the following amendments in the above identified United States patent application.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including 1 annotated sheet of drawings and 1 replacement sheet of drawings follows page 12 of this amendment.

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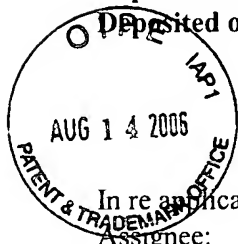
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AMENDMENT OR RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION--TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment after final rejection (37 C.F.R. § 1.116) for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

(Col.1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	19 MINUS	20	= 0x	\$ 50.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEP	3 MINUS	3	= 0 x	\$ 200.00 =	\$ 0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			+	\$ 0.00 =	\$ 0.00
				TOTAL	\$ 0.00
				ADDIT. FEE	

No additional fee for claims is required.

FEE DEFICIENCY

5. If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 06-0540.
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